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March 6, 2019

Mr. Eric Bradley  
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DEPT MR 70216  
411 Highland Avenue  
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Dear Mr. Bradley:

SUBJECT: YOUR FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of March 6, 2019. You seek a copy of Official Military Personnel File (OMPF) information pertaining to Frank Anthony Phillips with approximate dates of Navy service from 1972 to 1992. Your request was received in this office (PERS-00J) on March 6, 2019, and has been assigned correspondence number CNPC20190265 by this command.

A search of this command's Navy Electronic Military Personnel System (EMPRS) of Official Military Personnel Files (OMPFs) does not reflect a record for Frank Anthony Phillips with approximate dates of Navy service from 1972 to 1992. We were able to identify one data record showing an OMPF being maintained by the National Personnel Records Center (NPRC) for "Frank A. Phillips" under registry number 000010183431. We do not have visibility of any detailed information regarding this record. We do not know if this registry number identifies the applicable record for which you seek information. If desired, please submit a new FOIA request to NPRC with the registry number for a check to see if it is a record match. We have no additional information we can provide you from this command.

If you believe an adequate search of this command's records was not conducted, you have the right to appeal this "No Records" determination, in writing, to the Office of the Judge Advocate General, OJAG Code 14, 1322 Patterson Avenue SE Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5066.

Should you believe the submission of an appeal necessary, it must be received in that office within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter in order to be considered. Please attach a copy of this letter and the original request. Include a statement regarding why you believe this command may possess records responsive to your request. Please mark both the envelope and your appeal letter "FOIA/PA APPEAL."

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No assessable FOIA fees were associated with the processing of your request. I am the official responsible for this "No Records" response regarding records maintained by this command. Should you wish to discuss this matter, you may contact the undersigned at (901) 874-3165.

You can also contact the DON FOIA Public Liaison, Christopher Julka, at [Christopher.a.julka@navy.mil](mailto:Christopher.a.julka@navy.mil) or at (703) 697-0031. In addition, the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) provides a voluntary mediation process for resolving disputes between persons making FOIA requests and the Department of the Navy (DON). Their website is below:  
<https://www.archives.gov/ogis/about-ogis/contact-information>.

Sincerely,

*D.P. German*

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FOIA/PA Officer  
By direction